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CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371		10/524226						
	TIONAL APPLICATION NO. CT/US2004/031866	INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 29 September 2004 (29.09.2004)	PRIORITY DATE CLAIMED 29 September 2003 (29.09.2003)					
TITLE OF	INVENTION METHODS OF MOI		CELL SIGNALING PATHWAYS USING					
BILIVERDIN REDUCTASE								
APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US MAINES, Mahin D.								
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	The US has been elected (Article 31).							
5. X	A copy of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2))							
	a. is attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
•	b has been communicated by the International Bureau.							
. \Box	c. X is not required, as the application was filed in the United States Receiving Office (RO/US).							
6.	An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)).							
	 a. is attached hereto. b. has been previously submitted under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). 							
7.	Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3))							
	a. are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau).							
	b. have been communicated by the International Bureau.							
	c. have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired.							
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8.	An English language translation of the amendments to the claims under PCT Article 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)).							
9. 🗀	An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(4)).							
10.	An English language translation of the Article 36 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(5)).	e annexes of the International Preliminary E	xamination Report under PCT					
Îtems	tems 11 to 20 below concern document(s) or information included:							
11. 🔲	An Information Disclosure Statement	under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98.						
12.	An assignment document for recording	g. A separate cover sheet in compliance wit	th 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included.					
13. 🔯	A preliminary amendment.							
14. 🗓	An Application Data Sheet under 37 C	CFR 1.76.						
15. 📙	A substitute specification.							
16. 📙	A power of attorney and/or change of address letter.							
17.	A computer-readable form of the sequence listing in accordance with PCT Rule 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821- 1.825.							
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TITLE: METHODS OF MODULATING CELL CYCLE AND CELL SIGNALING

PATHWAYS USING BILIVERDIN REDUCTASE

Certificate is attached to the Transmittal Letter (3 pages) to the U.S. Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) of the above-named application.

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